

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims

1-36 (cancelled)

37. (new) A display device, comprising:

a monitor;

a base having a receiving portion;

a hinge body having a hinge upper portion and a hinge lower portion, the hinge upper portion rotatably connected to the monitor; and

a stand having a first supporting element and a second supporting element, the first supporting element having a first rotating end and a first free end, the second supporting element having a second rotating end and a second free end, the first and second rotating ends rotatably connected to the hinge lower portion;

wherein, when the first and second supporting elements rotate away from each other, the distance between the first free end and the second free end is greater than the opening size of the receiving portion;

wherein, when the first and second supporting elements rotate toward each other, the distance between the first free end and the second free end is less than the opening size of the receiving portion, so that the stand is capable of being received in the receiving portion.

38. (new) The display device as claimed in claim 37, wherein the first free end and the second free end respectively have a first inclined surface and a second inclined surface;

wherein, when the first and second supporting elements rotate away from each other, the angle between the first and second supporting elements increases to a predetermined angle;

wherein the first and second inclined surfaces stably contact a horizontal surface when the first and second supporting elements are disposed with the predetermined angle.

39. (new) The display device as claimed in claim 38, further comprising:

- a first protruded portion formed on the monitor and having a first lateral surface; and
- a second protruded portion formed on the monitor and having a second lateral surface,

wherein the hinge upper portion is rotatably connected to the first and second lateral surfaces.

40. (new) The display device as claimed in claim 39, wherein the hinge lower portion is wider than the hinge upper portion to accommodate the first and second rotating ends.

41. (new) The display device as claimed in claim 37, further comprising:

- a first protruded portion formed on the monitor and having a first lateral surface; and
- a second protruded portion formed on the monitor and having a second lateral surface,

wherein the hinge upper portion is rotatably connected to the first and second lateral surfaces.

42. (new) The display device as claimed in claim 41, wherein the hinge lower portion is wider than the hinge upper portion to accommodate the first and second rotating ends.

43. (new) The display device as claimed in claim 37, wherein the hinge lower portion is wider than the hinge upper portion to accommodate the first and second rotating ends.

44. (new) The display device as claimed in claim 43, wherein the first free end and the second free end respectively have a first inclined surface and a second inclined surface;

- wherein, when the first and second supporting elements rotate away from each other, the angle between the first and second supporting elements increases to a predetermined angle;

- wherein the first and second inclined surfaces stably contact a horizontal surface when the first and second supporting elements are disposed with the predetermined angle.

45. (new) The display device as claimed in claim 37, wherein the first supporting element comprises a first toothed portion, the second supporting element comprises a second toothed portion, the first toothed portion engages the second toothed portion such that the first supporting element rotates with respect to the second supporting element, the first toothed portion has at least one first tooth perpendicular to one side of the first supporting element, the

second toothed portion has at least one second tooth perpendicular to one side of the second supporting element, the side of the first supporting element is separated from that of the second supporting element when the first and second supporting elements rotate away from each other, and the side of the first supporting element abuts that of the second supporting element when the stand is capable of being received in the receiving portion.

46. (new) The display device as claimed in claim 37, further comprising a lock structure disposed in the receiving portion of the base to position the first and second supporting elements in the receiving portion and release the first and second supporting elements from the receiving portion.

47. (new) The display device as claimed in claim 46, wherein the lock structure further comprises a button element and an engaging element, the button element slidably disposed on the engaging element, and the first and second supporting elements engaging the engaging element and disengaging from the engaging element by means of the button element.

48. (new) The display device as claimed in claim 47, wherein the first supporting element and second supporting element further comprise a first engaging portion and a second engaging portion, respectively, to engage the engaging element.

49. (new) The display device as claimed in claim 37, further comprising at least one first buffer disposed in the receiving portion of the base to protect the stand.

50. (new) A display device, comprising:

- a monitor;

- a hinge body having a hinge upper portion and a hinge lower portion, the hinge upper portion rotatably connected to the monitor; and

- a stand having a first supporting element and a second supporting element, the first supporting element having a first rotating end and a first free end, the second supporting element having a second rotating end and a second free end, the first and second rotating ends

rotatably connected to the hinge lower portion, the first free end and the second free end respectively having a first inclined surface and a second inclined surface;

wherein, when the first and second supporting elements rotate away from each other, the angle between the first and second supporting elements increases to a predetermined angle;

wherein the first and second inclined surfaces stably contact a horizontal surface when the first and second supporting elements are disposed with the predetermined angle.

51. (new) The display device as claimed in claim 50, further comprising:

a first protruded portion formed on the monitor and having a first lateral surface; and

a second protruded portion formed on the monitor and having a second lateral surface, wherein the hinge upper portion is rotatably connected to the first and second lateral surfaces.

52. (new) The display device as claimed in claim 51, wherein the hinge lower portion is wider than the hinge upper portion to accommodate the first and second rotating ends.

53. (new) The display device as claimed in claim 50, wherein the hinge lower portion is wider than the hinge upper portion to accommodate the first and second rotating ends.

54. (new) The display device as claimed in claim 50, further comprising a first cushion and a second cushion disposed on the first and second inclined surfaces of the first and second supporting elements, respectively.

55. (new) A display device, comprising:

a monitor;

a first protruded portion formed on the monitor and having a first lateral surface;

a second protruded portion formed on the monitor and having a second lateral surface;

a hinge body having a hinge upper portion and a hinge lower portion, the hinge upper portion rotatably connected to the first and second lateral surfaces; and

a stand having a first supporting element and a second supporting element, the first supporting element having a first rotating end and a first free end, the second supporting

element having a second rotating end and a second free end, the first and second rotating ends rotatably connected to the hinge lower portion;

wherein the first and second supporting elements are capable of moving relative to each other, and the angle and distance between the first and second supporting elements change;

wherein the hinge lower portion is wider than the hinge upper portion to accommodate the first and second rotating ends.

56. (new) The display device as claimed in claim 55, wherein the hinge body further comprises a first fixed pin and a second fixed pin at the hinge lower portion, the first and second supporting elements pivoting to the first and second fixed pins, respectively.